

FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 23, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 2394 - HB 2491**

This bill, if enacted, will create the *Prohibition of Female Genital Mutilation Act* of 1996 which will be a Class D felony.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in state expenditures of \$9,000 for incarceration*. This estimate is based upon one Class D conviction every two years receiving a sentence of two years with 30% or 219 days served.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

*Section 9-6-119, TCA, requires that: *For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law.*